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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-referenced  
application, kindly amend the application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Kindly insert a copy of the Sequence Listing as  
provided herewith.

Kindly add the following paragraph after the title  
of the application:

- This application is a national stage application  
of PCT/EP00/08182 filed August 21, 2000 entitled "Gas 1  
Polypeptides" which claims priority from EP 99306702.4